

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Andrew C. Gilbert, et al.
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Title: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CONTROLLING
TRADERS FROM MANIPULATING ELECTRONIC
TRADING MARKETS**

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Final Office Action in the present application dated February 08, 2006.

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